

YOU ARE PROUD  
of the Spotless Spic-  
and-Span Neatness  
of your Kitchen

For These Reasons

We Have Installed a

**HUSSMANN**

WE ARE PROUD  
of the Way We Protect  
Food Until It Reaches  
Your Kitchen

## Pat'd Refrigerator Freezer Counter

Prevents Handling, Sneezing or Coughing on Meats, Contact  
of Flies, Dust or Other Germ-Breeding Elements.

If your eatables come from this store, you are assured  
they are thoroughly

**Husmannized**

**Bethel's**

Cash Meat Market and Grocery

PHONE 239

Good  
Pure  
Clean

**Foods**



## Quality Meats

No matter what  
your wants may  
be in the meat  
line we can meet  
them, and we  
meet them al-



ways with first quality meats—the only  
kind you would buy or serve on your  
table. We carry not only the staples but  
also the delicacies that go to make a com-  
plete market stock. We want to serve you.

Just received a fresh supply of Heinz's Sweet, Sour  
and Dill Pickles, in bulk—very fine.

Here you can also leave your Grocery orders  
without additional bother, and be assured that  
your wishes will be carefully complied with, as  
we carry a full line of Staple and Fancy Gro-  
ceries, as well as Canned Goods.

### LOCAL MENTION

Fine growing weather is again here.  
This, Decoration Day, will be fittingly  
observed in Farmington.

Mrs. P. G. Hunt and daughter, Miss  
Florence, will leave Monday for a two  
days' visit in St. Louis.

American Fence and Plymouth  
Binder Twine at a low price. Boswell  
& Helber 20-2t

Miss Virginia Marbury returned  
home Tuesday from Lindwood Col-  
lege, at St. Charles.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good,  
sound six-year-old farm mare. Beth-  
el's Meat Market.

Mrs. W. R. Watts, of Springfield,  
Ill., arrived here Tuesday afternoon  
for a two weeks visit with her daugh-  
ter, Mrs. J. W. Ingram, and family.

P. E. Welker, an excellent citizen  
of Route 6, Farmington, was an ap-  
preciated caller at The Times office  
Saturday and renewed his subscrip-  
tion.

We have several used refrigerators.  
See them before buying. S. P. Counts  
Furniture Store.

Lionel Tetley has rented the Ed  
McCormick residence, on Liberty  
street, into which he will move soon  
as it is vacated by the family of Dr.  
Neidert.

Mrs. Nellie Marbury, accompanied  
by her niece, Miss Annie Marbury,  
left yesterday for Hopewell to visit  
with relatives and friends until after  
Decoration day.

Money to loan on real estate. Ap-  
ply to G. O. Watts; phone 258, Farm-  
ington, Mo. tf

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Mayberry leave  
this morning for Liberty, Mo., to at-  
tend commencement exercises at Wil-  
liam Jewell College, where their son,  
Meyers Mayberry, will finish his  
studies this year.

Mrs. Frank Pool, of this city, left  
Tuesday for a week's visit with her  
daughter in Blackwell. While there  
she will assist her daughter in get-  
ting ready to attend the State Nor-  
mal at Cape Girardeau.

FOR SALE—One set single, heavy-  
tug wagon harness. Roy Cole, Elvins,  
Missouri.

A. M. Doss, one of the sterling  
Democrats and splendid citizens of the  
Esther neighborhood, was an ap-  
preciated caller at The Times office Mon-  
day morning. He is a member of the  
petit jury of the present term of court.

When renewing your roof, use Art-  
craft. Tetley-Klein Lumber Co. has  
it for you.

There is really very little to mention  
the past week of proceedings in Cir-  
cuit Court. A very few civil cases  
have been tried, but the great bulk of  
the State cases have either been con-  
tinued, dismissed or dropped from the  
docket.

Rev. C. C. Cunningham and family  
arrived in Farmington the last of the  
week for a visit with Rev. Cunning-  
ham's parents, Rev. and Mrs. O. H.  
L. Cunningham. The son will leave  
this afternoon for Rogers, Ark., on  
church extension work.

Wall Paper; cheap and all new  
stock; full line on hand. S. P. Counts,  
Furniture Store.

Splendid home-grown strawberries  
are now in market. But war-time  
prices appear to be still in force, so  
that the fact that the appetizing ber-  
ry is now in the market generally but  
adds another unpleasant thought,  
without in the least assisting to ap-  
pease the appetite.

American Fence and Plymouth  
Binder Twine at a low price. Boswell  
& Helber 20-2t

The Times editor is the proud pos-  
sessor of a notice from the War De-  
partment that a War Medal Certifi-  
cate has been awarded to him, in re-  
cognition of war work done. This med-  
al will be made from captured German  
guns, and will be forwarded soon as  
it can be issued. This is the plan of  
the War Department of showing its  
appreciation of war work.

### Dull-Season Offer

Mid-Summer Suitings

Palm Beach, - \$18.50  
Wool Tropiccoat, \$25.00  
Mohairs, \$25.00 and up

Why buy ready-to-wear  
when you can have them  
made to order at such prices?

TAILORED TO YOUR  
INDIVIDUAL MEASURE.

**Gierse's**

While the recent chaos in the weather,  
which has dispensed a very un-  
usual amount of moisture throughout  
this vicinity during the past two  
weeks, has apparently not yet been  
entirely dissipated, there is now more  
warmth and sunshine, which is so  
necessary to growing crops.

Have you seen our Aluminum  
Ware? If not, come and look. S. P.  
Counts Furniture Store.

The Presbyterian church will hold a  
special service next Sunday morning  
at the regular church hour in honor of  
three returned soldier boys. All sol-  
diers in town and surrounding com-  
munity are cordially invited to come  
and bring their friends. Special mu-  
sic and interesting talks will be given.

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Binder Twine at a low price. Boswell  
& Helber 20-2t

Deputy Game Warden Gunton was in  
Reynolds county several days of last  
week trying to obtain evidence against  
parties charged with dynamiting fish  
in Black river. Sometimes it is a  
difficult matter to get witnesses  
against the dynamiter. And this  
should not be. Every good citizen  
should be glad of the opportunity to  
help put a stop to the destruction of  
the fish.—Ironton Register.

Commencing Saturday, May 31, we  
will sell all Graniteware at 15 per  
cent reduction, for ten days, as we  
need the room for new stock. S. P.  
Counts, Furniture Store.

A pay car went over the road last  
week distributing checks to the em-  
ployees. This is the first pay car on  
the road for several years, the prac-  
tice being to place the checks with the  
local agent for distribution. It is said  
the car was placed in commission  
again to ascertain if any "dead ones"  
were on the pay roll. Whether the  
car will be a regular feature again is  
not announced.—Ironton Register.

Lead and Oil, also Ready Mixed  
Paints, can be found at Tetley-Klein  
Lumber Co.

The reporter, editor, owner and  
publisher of the county paper had  
dropped in to see a fellow townsman  
who lay dying. He was a merchant  
who had never invested a penny in  
advertising, and his subscription to  
the paper had been delinquent for years.

"How do you feel?" inquired his vi-  
sitor. "All looks bright before me,"  
gasped the dying man. "I thought  
so," replied the scribe. "You'll see the  
blaze in about ten minutes."—Ex.

Dr. Neidert, who located in Farm-  
ington only a short time ago for the  
practice of his profession, has decided  
to locate permanently in Patton, Boll-  
inger county, for which place he left  
Saturday to get located. His family  
will join him there soon as he makes  
suitable preparations for them. Dr.  
Neidert is an excellent gentleman and,  
we understand, is a very competent  
physician. His departure will cause  
much regret among many friends here.

Tetley-Klein Lumber Co. still has  
Sunshine with which to brighten the  
home.

Geo. T. Waller, of Birmingham,  
Ala., and Miss Myrtle Young, of this  
city, were united in marriage at 3  
o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 25th,  
at the Baptist parsonage, Rev. O. H.  
L. Cunningham performing the cere-  
mony. The bride, who is a daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Young, who live  
near the Power House. She has re-  
cently been working in St. Louis. The  
groom was formerly of this vicinity,  
but has been in Birmingham for sev-  
eral years.

If you are in the market for a farm  
or want to buy a home, see G. O.  
Watts, or phone 258, Farmington, Mo.  
We have the bargains.

Recorder Henry O'Bannon informs  
The Times that he has recorded the  
discharge of more than eighty sol-  
diers from this county. This is a mat-  
ter that no discharged soldier should  
overlook. It is at least a splendid and  
proud record to hand down to poster-  
ity, and it may be of personal value  
sometime in the future. The county  
pays the recording fees, so that the  
process will not cost the soldier a  
penny.

The Board of Directors of the Farm  
Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of St.  
Francis county will hold a meeting  
in the court house in this city tomor-  
row (Saturday) for the purpose of ad-  
justing recent losses, and for the  
transaction of any other business that  
may be brought before them. Among  
the losses to be adjusted are: J. D.  
Ryan, of near this city, damage to  
home by fire; H. C. Meyer, steer killed  
by lightning; J. C. Ballard, of Liber-  
tyville, and Mrs. H. C. Muellersman, of  
Knob Lick, both of whom have re-  
cently lost a cow from lightning.

FOR SALE—1 Liquid Soda Foun-  
tain, 10 feet long, and Back Bar; Ice  
Cream Tables and Chairs; 2 Counter  
Show Cases and 2 Floor Cases, each  
10 feet long. At Sundy's Candy  
Kitchen.

Paul Denman, son of Clint Denman,  
editor of the Sikeston, Mo., Herald,  
attended the County Sunday School  
Convention in this city last Saturday,  
and made an interesting talk on "Lake  
Geneva for Boys". Paul attended  
school at Lake Geneva, Wis., last  
year, and his experience there enabled  
him to recommend it very highly. Paul  
has recently been pressed into service  
quite frequently for addresses before  
young people's conventions. He re-  
mained here until the first of the week  
visiting with relatives and old friends,  
where he was born and resided until  
his removal to Sikeston about three  
years ago.

See the Johns-Manville Ad. on As-  
bestos Roofing and Shingles in this  
week's Saturday Evening Post, on  
page 148. We are Johns-Manville  
dealers in this territory. Read about  
Asbestos Roofing and Shingles and  
then come in and see us. S. P.  
Counts, Furniture Store.

Rev. M. L. Eaves, of Potosi, Pres-  
byterian evangelist, filled the Pres-  
byterian pulpit in this city Sunday,  
morning and evening. While the  
weather was very inclement, two  
splendid audiences greeted him, and  
all felt fully repaid for the effort  
their attendance required, as Rev.  
Eaves favored them with two splen-  
did sermons. Rev. Eaves called at  
The Times office Monday morning to  
extend his thanks for the advertising  
this paper had given to his meetings,  
to which he attributed large credit  
for the apparent interest that was  
taken in his meetings. He is a strong  
believer in advertising, and is sorry  
his church has not made an appropri-  
ation for such purpose for the present  
year. He stated, however, that he  
proposed to do everything in his power  
to have an advertising appropriation  
set aside hereafter in his church, so  
that the general public may be kept  
advised of what is going on there  
from week to week. The recent war  
preparations throughout the country  
has furnished abundant evidence as  
to the value of advertising, were any  
further evidence needed along that  
line.

Heinz Sweet, Sour and Dill  
Pickles, fresh and in bulk, just re-  
ceived at Bethel's Cash Meat Market.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES

The Farmington Public Schools will  
close on Friday, May 30th. School  
work will continue at full blast up to  
Friday noon. Afternoon general pro-  
motions will take place and quarterly  
reports will be distributed. School  
will dismiss in time for all pupils and  
teachers to attend the Decoration Day  
exercises at the Monarch at 2:30 p. m.

On Thursday evening at 8 o'clock a  
joint program will be given in the  
High School auditorium by the two H.  
S. Literary Societies. The public is  
cordially invited to attend this open  
meeting. The program will be varied  
enough to please every one who at-  
tends.

The first of the closing exercises of  
the Public Schools will be the Baccala-  
ureate sermon at the M. E. Church,  
South, on Sunday evening, June 1st,  
at 8 o'clock. Rev. H. A. Mitchell will  
preach the Baccalaureate Sermon.  
Monday evening the graduating exer-  
cises of the Douglass School will be  
held in their hall. A large class of  
strong pupils will be graduated at that  
time. The High School graduating ex-  
ercises will be held in the H. S. audi-  
torium on Tuesday evening, June 3rd.  
Twenty-four pupils will graduate at  
that time. This is the largest class ever  
graduated from Farmington High  
School, and is a fine group of prom-  
ising young people.

The last of the graduating exercises  
for the present school year will be the  
Eighth Grade graduation on Thursday  
night, June 5th. This class is com-  
posed of 46 pupils, and will present a  
pleasing program. The public is cor-  
dially invited to all the closing exer-  
cises of the schools.

On Monday afternoon of this week  
Mrs. S. J. Tetley, in behalf of the lo-  
cal Chapter of the D. A. R., presented  
to the Washington School a most  
beautiful American flag. Margaret  
Ellen McCarthy, for the school, made  
a fitting response, which was followed  
by a short program—a tribute to the  
flag—by the school. The spirit which  
prompted the giving of this flag is  
the same friendly spirit of helpfulness  
and co-operation which has been made  
manifest to the school by every la-  
diest club in Farmington. Any mea-  
sure of success that has attended ef-  
forts in behalf of the school is largely  
due to this splendid co-operation from  
the Ladies' Clubs and patrons. No re-  
quest for equipment for the school has  
been denied and the teachers and pu-  
pils are most grateful for this kind  
consideration. They also wish to ex-  
tend thanks to the Farmington papers  
for courtesies extended.

### SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

#### Christian Science

Subject: "Ancient and Modern  
Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and  
Hypnotism, Denounced."

Golden text: Exodus 23:13.  
Sunday morning at 11 a. m. in the  
New building. Sunday school at 9:45  
a. m. To these services the public is  
cordially invited.

#### Lutheran Church

H. Hallberg, Pastor.  
Sunday after Ascension.  
Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.  
Preparatory service for commu-  
nion at 10 a. m.

Morning worship at 10:30. Subject  
of sermon: "Christ at the Right Hand  
of God."

A cordial invitation is extended to  
all having no church home.

No evening service.  
The Concordia Y. L. S. meets next  
week Friday.

### TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

The next regular County Teachers'  
Examination will be held at the Farm-  
ington high school building June 6th  
and 7th, next, beginning promptly at  
8 o'clock a. m., on each day. The  
schedule of subjects will be the same  
as in former examinations. For ad-  
ditional information, old questions,  
etc., write J. Clyde Akers, County  
Superintendent of Schools, Farmington,  
Mo. 20-2t.

### WHERE THE SALVATION ARMY CARRIES ON ITS WORK

The Salvation Army, whose praises  
the returning soldiers sing so loudly,  
is an organization of much greater  
size, and is far more wide-spread than  
the average person imagines. It is  
almost as diverse in its membership  
as are the tongues of the world.

In the ranks of this army, which  
works as hard in peace as it does in  
war, there are 71 different nations rep-  
resented. The organization has what  
it calls "outposts" in 58 countries and  
colonies, and preaches in 36 languages.  
There are close to 9,000 different corps  
and posts, more than 11,000 social in-  
stitutions, over 600 day schools and  
close upon 17,000 officers and cadets.

The number of adherents—as well as  
the number of those who the army  
has helped at one time or another—is  
seemingly beyond exact calculation,  
for the Salvation Army trains Bible  
women, lecturers and others to preach  
Christianity and cleanliness to their  
fellow-countrymen and sends them out  
on the highways of almost every coun-  
try on the face of the globe.

From the coldest lands to the  
warmest climes members of the Salva-  
tion Army are forever working. In  
India they carry on their labors de-  
spite the strange native customs and  
the complexity of Indian character  
and languages. And they also carry  
on their work even in the most trou-  
bled times in Russia.

But widespread as is the work and  
diverse as are the peoples the Salva-  
tion Army reaches, it is doubtful if  
there is any phase of their work out-  
wardly more picturesque than that  
found in Java. Our illustration shows  
a parade in Java of Salvation Army  
converts marching to win the souls of  
their fellow-countrymen.

On the very next street corner they  
may take their stand. And the figures  
strange to our eyes and the music  
strange to our ears will fall on Javan-  
ese eyes and Javanese ears with the  
same sort of familiarity that the Sal-  
vation Army on the street corner  
down-town will greet your eyes and  
ears.

But it does seem strange to think  
of this Javanese band as being a ver-  
itable Salvation Army band, doesn't it?  
—Temple Manning.

### Soldiers to Study.

Paris.—With the arrival of General  
Rees from Washington on detail from  
the war department to take charge of  
the army educational work, progress  
has been rapid along the lines laid  
down in the program submitted by the  
Y. M. C. A. army educational commis-  
sion. Text books required to satisfy  
the demands of the men for instruc-  
tions are coming overseas rapidly, ac-  
cording to Prof. John Erskine of Col-  
umbia university, chairman of the "Y"  
commission; post schools are starting  
up at the rate of 47 to a division and  
groups of officers and men are being  
absorbed by French and British uni-  
versities to the limit of their capacity.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

May 22—W. O. Hamor, Route 3,  
Farmington, Ste. Genevieve county,  
and Artie E. Smith, of Womack.  
May 21—Warily Laskowsky and  
Anna Fetczak, both of Desloge.  
May 24—Normand E. Downard and  
Nena M. E. Talley, both of Bismarck,  
Star Route, in Washington county.  
May 24—Geo. T. Waller, of South  
Birmingham, Miss., and Myrtle  
Young of St. Louis.  
May 27—Sam Thompson and Mar-  
tha McCarron, both of Leadwood.

### Do You Enjoy Life?

A man in good physical condition is  
almost certain to enjoy life, while the  
bilious and dyspeptic are despondent,  
do not enjoy their meals and feel mis-  
erable a good share of the time. This  
ill feeling is nearly always unneces-  
sary. A few doses of Chamberlain's  
Tablets to tone up the stomach, im-  
prove the digestion and regulate the  
bowels is all that is needed. Try it.  
Obtainable everywhere. (adv.)

### LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Prepared by McAtee Produce Co.,  
Who are Paying the Following  
Prices Today:

Eggs, per dozen	34c
Hens, per lb.	25c
Spring Chickens, per lb.	30c to 40c
Hen Turkeys, per lb.	28c
Ten Turkeys, per lb.	25c
Old Geese, per lb.	10c
Cocks, per lb.	14c
Stags, per lb.	13c
Old Ducks, per lb.	25c
Muscovy Ducks, per lb.	12c
Guineas, each	15c
Young guineas, per pound	25c
Wool, per lb.	35c to 47c
Veal Calves, per lb.	5c to 12c
Lard, per lb.	25c to 30c
Hides, per lb.	10c to 25c
Bacon, per lb.	25c to 30c
Hams, per lb.	25c to 30c
Shoulders, per lb.	22c to 25c
Potatoes, per bu.	\$1.10 to \$1.35
Good Butter, per lb.	35c
Packing butter, per lb.	30c
Copper, per pound	5c
Lead, per lb.	2c to 4c
Zinc, per lb.	2c
Aluminum, per lb.	10c
Rubber, per lb.	2c to 4c
Bones, per 100 lbs.	25c
Feathers, per lb.	25c to 60c
Auto Casing, per lb.	2c
Rags, per 100 lbs.	\$1.00
Iron, per lb.	20c
Inner Tubes, per lb.	3c to 4c

See us for Baled Hay, by bale or  
wagon load.

### FARMS FOR SALE

87a. 8 mi. from Farmington	\$2,500
80a 6 mi. from Farmington	\$5,000
120a 10 mi. from Farmington	\$3,600
161a 10 mi. from Farmington	\$4,800
80a 4 mi. from Farmington	\$5,200
100a 1 mi. from Bellevue, Mo.	\$2,000
211a 1 mi. from Doe Run	\$10,000

Terms.  
G. O. WATTS,  
Phone 258, Farmington, Mo.

### Cause of Headache

By knowing the cause, a disease  
may often be avoided. This is par-  
ticularly true of headache. The most  
common cause of headache is a dis-  
torted stomach or constipation, which  
may be corrected by taking a few  
doses of Chamberlain's Tablets. Try  
it. Many others have obtained per-  
manent relief by taking these Tablets.  
They are easy to take and mild and  
gentle in effect. Obtainable every-  
where. (adv.)

### MICKIE SAYS

THE BIG CITY PAPERS  
KIN POKE FUN AT US PER  
TELLIN' 'BOUT PAUL JONES'  
NEW CHICKEN COOP—  
BUT, BY HEK! WE NEVER  
FALL FOR NO GUFF 'BOUT  
MRS. ALGERNON MORGAN-  
BILTS POMPERANIAN PUP,  
"PIFFLE", HAVIN' THE DIP  
AND A LOTTA OTHER  
ITEMS LIKE THAT, WITCH  
THEM CITY PAPERS  
PRINT, DO WE, BOSS?

NOPE!

